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In Re the Application of:

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

I. INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

This amendment and request for reconsideration is in response to the office communication mailed May 8, 2006. In that office communication, the office raised concerns under 35 U.S.C. §112 and 35 U.S.C. §103 as to claims 1-30, and concerns relative to the drawings. The Assignee submits this amendment and request for reconsideration to fully address the Office's May 8, 2006 action. Certain of the amendments are not made in response to the office action but are merely submitted herewith because it is an opportune time to present them.

Please amend the above identified application according to attached Specification Amendments and Claim Amendments, and replace the originally filed drawings with the Replacement Drawings as they now appear in Appendix A. The Assignee believes all concerns have been addressed and that all claims remaining in the case are in condition for allowance.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 11 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 21 of this paper.

Conclusion begins on page 26 of this paper.

Appendix A (Replacement Drawings) appear starting at page 27 of this paper.